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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20505

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10 APR 1975

Lieutenant General Brent Scowcroft, USAF  
Deputy Assistant to the President  
for National Security Affairs  
The White House  
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Brent:

I am forwarding herewith for the record the National Security Agency paper regarding the U. S. Cryptologic Presence at [redacted]. This paper was prepared in response to your request to me dated 16 December 1974. As you can see by Al Hall's letter to me, the paper was reviewed within Defense, and the Defense recommendation is that [redacted] operation should be maintained at the planned reduced level.

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This paper has been reviewed with your staff during its development, and it is now clear that events have overtaken the feasibility of studying the [redacted] problem in isolation from other developments in Southeast Asia, notably the vulnerability of our intelligence operations [redacted] and the altered situation in South Vietnam and Cambodia. It is our understanding that you will shortly ask us to undertake a broader review of our intelligence activities and priorities throughout the area, and we are prepared to do that. Since the broader review will cover [redacted] in the context of other requirements in the area, I have not reviewed the attached in detail pending the forthcoming broad review.

Sincerely,

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*W. E. Colby*  
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